DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice ...	7·41	6·61	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi ...	13·50	14·44	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort		7·47	

Agricultural operations.—Fields are being ploughed.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and food are sufficiently available.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations are commenced in all the taluks except Channapatna and Closepet, sugar cane is being planted in the Nelamangala Taluk; and potato and gingelly are being sown in the Anekal Taluk.

State of standing crops.—Vaisakhi paddy and sugar cane are reported to be in good condition all over the district.

Harvest and outturn :—

Vaisakhi paddy is being harvested in the Channapatna and Anekal Taluks and sugar cane is being milled in the Anekal Taluk.

Paddy, yield 10 to 12 annas in the Channapatna Taluk and 8 annas in the Anekal Taluk; and sugar cane in the Anekal Taluk, yield 12 to 16 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. Food stocks are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for cholera in the villages of Hukkunda, Alahalli, Artabele, Dodmuduvadi, Hosdurga and Heram Dasappanahalli of the Kankanhalli Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Dry lands are being ploughed in almost all the taluks.

Crops sown.—Sesamum, sajje and haraka in the Malur Taluk.

Crops harvested and their probable outturn.—Paddy in the Bowringpet, Chintamani, Mulbagal, Goribidnur and Srinivaspur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy and sugar cane are in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Pasture and fodder are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations*—Ploughing operations are being carried on.

Crops sown.—Ragi in the Sira Taluk; jola in the Tiptur Taluk; sugar cane in the Kunigal Taluk and in the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; and paddy in the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Sugar cane in the Tumkur and Kunigal Taluks and in the Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks, yield 12 annas; paddy in the Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira and Pavagada Taluks and in the Koratagere Sub-Taluk, yield 10 to 14 annas.

Condition of standing crops.—Sugar cane and paddy are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for cholera in a few villages of the Gubbi Taluk, public health is good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Jola, ragi and til in parts of the Hunsur, Yedatore and Nanjangud Taluks; togari in parts of the Hunsur and Nanjangud Taluks; ragi in parts of the Heggadadevankote Taluk; jola and til in parts of the Malvalli and Krishnarajpete Taluks; jola in parts of the Mandya Taluk, and castor in parts of the Yedatore Taluk.

State of standing crops.—Ragi, jola, til, sugar cane, mulburry, castor, green and black grams and paddy are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar cane in parts of the Seringapatam and Mandya Taluks and green gram on wet lands in parts of the Seringapatam Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for cholera in parts of the Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam, Hunsur, Heggaddevankote, Gundlupet, Malvalli, Krishnarajpete and Nagamangala Taluks and plague in parts of the Chamrajnagar Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Sugar cane and kar paddy in the Hassan, Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks; barawadi paddy in the Manjarabad Taluk; sugar cane in the Belur, Hole-Narsipur and Arkalgud Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk, are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Ragi, avare, togari and tadagani in the Arkalgud Taluk and paddy and ragi in the Alur Sub-Taluk, are being sown.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. More rain is reported to be needed in parts of the Manjarabad, Arkalgud, Belur, Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur Taluks.

11. Except for cholera in parts of the Hassan, Belur, Arsikere and Channarayapatna Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of the Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur, Sagar, Sorab, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks and are being manured in the Shimoga, Sagar; Chennagiri and Honnali Taluks and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

Crops sown.—Paddy in parts of the Shimoga and Thirthahalli Taluks is being sown.

State of standing crops.—Sugar cane in parts of the Sagar, Honnali, Shikarpur, Nagar and Thirthahalli Taluks and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk, are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are good, though there has been little rainfall in all the taluks of the district, Shimoga, Channagiri and Sorab are in want of rain. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for cholera in Benkipur village of the Shimoga Taluk and plague in parts of the Shikarpur Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being prepared for sowing purposes in parts of the Chikmagalur, Kadur, Tarikere, Koppa, Mudgere and Sringeri Taluks and Yedahalli Sub-Taluk.

Crops sown.—Paddy, ragi, avare and togari in the Chikmagalur Taluk; and paddy in the Koppa and Mudgere Taluks and Yedahalli Sub-Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar cane and kode paddy in the Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere Taluks, and coffee, cardamum, sugar cane and pepper in the Mudgere Taluk, are in good condition.

Crop harvested.—Sugar cane in the Chikmagalur Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.

11. Cholera prevails in the towns of Chikmagalur, Kadur, Birur and Tarikere and in a few villages of the Chikmagalur, Kadur, Tarikere and Mudgere Taluks, plague in some villages of the Chikmagalur Taluk and small-pox in a few villages of the Tarikere, Koppa and Sringeri Taluks. Otherwise public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops* such as sugar cane, paddy and cotton are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Jola and til in the Hosdurga Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in the Challakere Taluk, yield 10 annas; sugar cane in the Hiriyur Taluk and cotton in the Jagalur Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stocks are available.

11. Except for the prevalence of small-pox in the Chitaldrug Taluk, of cholera in Arehallihatti and Hulimelele in the Holalkere Taluk, and of Guinea worm in most of the villages of the Bilchod hobli of the Jagalur Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

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K. DORASWAMI IYER,
Revenue Commissioner.